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REF: (A) STATE 170135; (B) EC BRUSSELS 5537; (C) EC BRUSSELS 4323

(D) EC A-180; (E) EC A-162; (F) EC A-287 OF 6/30/69

1. AS REPORTED IN REF. B, EFFECTIVE JULY 22, THE EC COMMISSION? BY
DECISION OF JULY 17, WITHDREW ITS AUTHORIZATION (REF. E) FOR ITALIAN
PRIOR IMPORT DEPOSITS FOR MOST AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS. THE TEXT OF THE
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DECISION IS PUBLISHED IN OFFICIAL JOURNAL L-198 AND HAS BEEN FOR-

WARDED TO WASHINGTON BY AIRGRAM (EC A-250).

2. WITH TWO EXCEPTION, THE COMMISSION DECISION GIVES ONLY THE FOLLOWING

BROAD PRODUCT GROUPS, AND NOT A LIST OF SPECIFIC CUSTOMS ITEMS, FOR WHICH AUTHORIZATION FOR IMPORT DEPOSITS HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN: CEREALS, EGG AND POULTRY MEAT PRODUCTS, DAIRY PRODUCTS, WINES, AND PROCESSED PRODUCTS COVERED BY REGULATION NO. 1059/69 (REF. F). THE TWO SPECIFIC CUSTOMS ITEMS ARE LIVE HORSES (CXT NO. 01.01 AIII) AND SEED POTATOES (07.01.AI). PREVIOUSLY THE COMMISSION HAD LIFTED THE IMPORT DEPOSIT AUTHORIZATION FOR PORK (REF. C) AND FOR FEEDER CATTLE (REF. D).

3. THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS FOR WHICH ITALY HAD BEEN AUTHORIZED BY THE COMMISSION IN MAY 1974 TO REQUIRE IMPORT DEPOSITS, ARE LISTED IN REF. E. BASED ON A COMPARISON OF THIS LIST AND THE LIST OF PRODUCT GROUPS IN THE DECISION OF JULY 17, THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS FOR WHICH ITALY APPARENTLY MAY CONTINUE TO REQUIRE IMPORT DEPOSITS INCLUDE LIVE ANIMALS (OTHER THAN HORSES AND FEEDER CATTLE), BEEF AND VEAL, FISH, HONEY, BULBS AND PLANTS, CUT FLOWERS, FRESH AND PRESERVED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (INCLUDING TREE NUTS), COFFEE, TEA, SPICES, HOPS, COCOA PRODUCTS, AND ESSENTIAL CITRUS OILS.

4. EMBASSY ROME MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION.
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